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## EXTINCTION OF ROYAL FAMILIES.

The want of a direct heir to King Leopold of Belgium reminds us how in the course of time royal families lose their power and not unoften become extinct. In Holland the illustrious house of Orange, which so distinguished itself in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, now hangs upon the slender thread of the life of Queen Wilhelmina and her infant child. The Bourbons of France, who ruled for centuries, and the Bonapartes, whose brief meteoric career startled the world, have both fallen upon evil days.

In Sweden the Vasa dynasty, which numbered in its ranks such kings as Gustavus Adolphus and Charles XII, practically ceased to be a century ago and was succeeded by Bernadotte, the founder of the present reigning family.

In England the once powerful Plantagenets, the haughty Tudors and the unfortunate Stuarts have long since passed away as distinct royal lines. In this connection it is a curious fact that not so very many years ago a Plantagenet in direct line from Edward III was a sexton of a church in London, and that an Oliver Cromwell, a lineal descendant of the great Protector, was a lawyer in the same city and that the family is now extinct.

The decline and extinction of these and other royal families is easily accounted for. In many cases revolutions deposed dynasties and set up others; violent deaths in battle or by assassination also contributed their share. Then, too, extravagance in living, misrule, dissipated habits and frequent intermarriage naturally resulted in lowered intellects, bodily weakness, and general unfitness. These causes will not be so prominent in the future, because the people over whom kings now reign will not tolerate it.

A crook who for years had led the life of a swindler and thief recently gave himself up to the authorities, giving as his reason that "the game was a losing one." He is not the first man who has discovered that, and probably will not be the last one. Yet how true his statement is. Apart from all moral question and the unrest of conscience, dishonesty in the long run does not financially pay. Occasionally a dishonest man prospers, or seems to, but those very few exceptions only serve to make the rule more prominent. To make a clever thief, brains and ingenuity are needed, and if those qualities were but used in right ways how much better off the man would be, financially and in other ways. But there will always be people who will not be convinced of this until they have learned by bitter experience.

## DISCOVERED—A "PLOT!"

President Taft, according to Washington dispatches, has just discovered the existence of another "plot" to discredit his administration. His assumption that a "conspiracy" exists is based on the theory that the repeated attacks on Ballinger and the latter's conduct of the general land office are in reality but canards invented to injure the present administration.

This, then, is the third "conspiracy" that has been hatched against the President since he assumed office.

The discovery of the first "plot" occurred about the time the President prevented the unseating of Speaker Cannon and the improvement of the House rules. Some of the party leaders, particularly Aldrich and Cannon, apparently expected that the President was to be "roasted" for rescuing Cannon and the old rules from defeat. So a story was started to the effect that information from authentic sources showed "the big muck-raking magazines to be in a conspiracy to discredit the Taft administration." However, most of the magazines named in the "conspiracy" did not publish a single article relative to the Taft-Aldrich-Cannon triumvirate, and those magazines which did handle the subject very generously left the President out of the discussion altogether.

Now as to the second "plot": It was discovered and laid bare by a big New York newspaper just after Taft declared at Winona that the Payne-Aldrich-Smoot tariff bill was the best legislation of the kind ever enacted. The ring leaders of the "plot" were declared to be Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin, Ex-Secretary of the Interior James R. Garfield, and others. The object of the "plot" was to "discredit the Taft administration."

Oh, fiddlesticks! Had the President co-operated with the insurgents when they were endeavoring to dethrone Cannon, "plot" No. 1 would never have been hatched.

Had the President stated in his Winona speech that the new tariff law was the most infamous ever created, and that it would be likely to have the effect of further advancing the cost of living, there would have been no necessity for the second "conspiracy."

And if the President was now supporting Pinchot instead of Ballinger there would be no necessity for the latest "plot," nor even an investigation of the general land office.

Who are Mr. Taft's advisers and counselors that permit him to be eternally taking a position on public questions that is offensive to nine-tenths of the people of the United States?

## A QUEER FIND.

A few days ago while the convict road gang, under the superintendence of Mr. J. P. Murdaugh, was working in the vicinity of Big Island swamp, one of them found a fine sabre which bears every appearance of being that of a United States army officer. When found, the scabbard was buried in the ground, only the hilt protruding.

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The death of King Leopold of Belgium removes a man who gained an unenviable notoriety by the looseness of his private life. He belonged to a type of monarchs far more common a century or more ago than now. He ranked in the same class with Charles II and George IV of England and Louis XV of France. In those days public opinion was not so potent as today, and kings did pretty much as they liked both in private and public life. Happily the standard of morals is higher now and public opinion counts for more, and most kings and other rulers have to act accordingly. For this reason it is very doubtful whether any country will in future tolerate such a monarch as Leopold was.

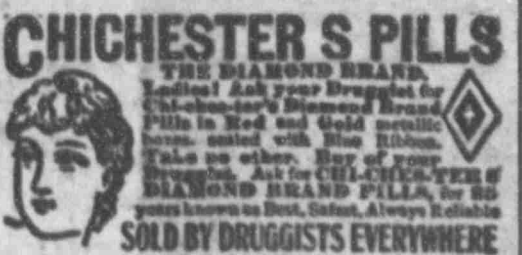
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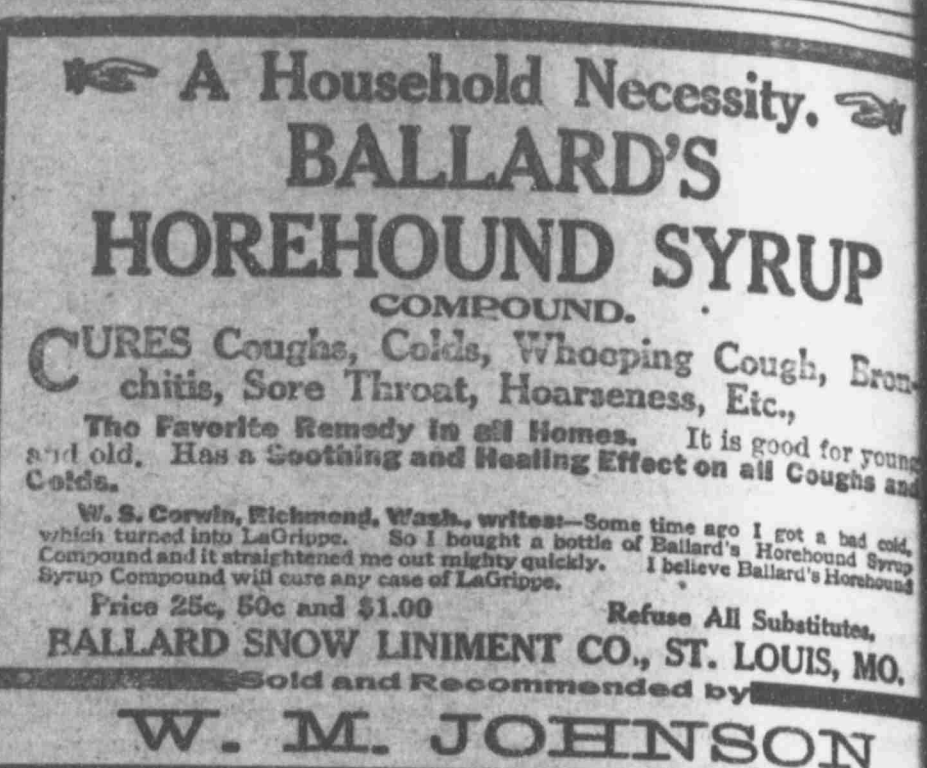


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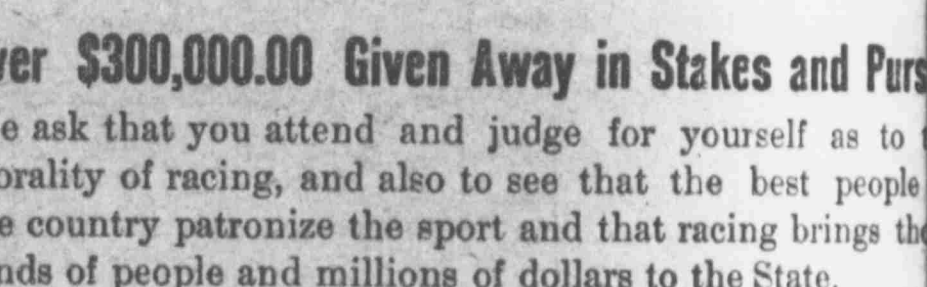
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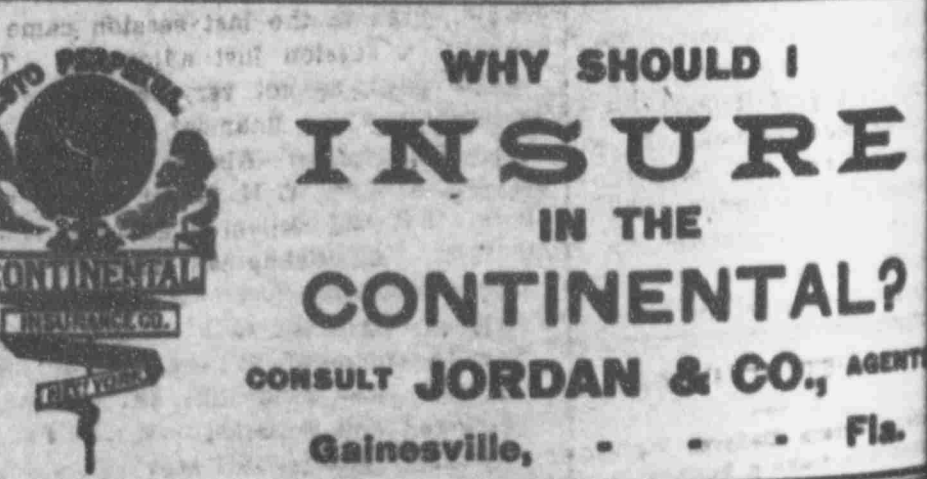
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